PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARIAT.

Conversion of certain Travellers' Bungalows into Inspection Lodges.

READ—

Extract of Para 12—31, Public Works from the Report of the Retrenchment Committee 1931, recommending the conversion of certain 1st and 2nd Class Travellers' Bungalows in the State into Inspection Lodges.

(2) Note No. D. 409, dated 30th September 1931, from the Public Works Secretary.

ORDER No. P. W. 905-69—S, DATED 10TH OCTOBR 1931.

It is brought to notice that the Travellers' Bungalows in the State noted in the margin are rarely occupied by visitors and that they may, with advantage, be converted into Inspection Lodges without much inconvenience to the public. The Government are therefore pleased to direct that these bungalows be converted into Inspection Lodges with effect from the 1st November 1931.

1.	Second Class Travellers' Bungalow	at	Hoskote.
2.	Do	do	at Somenahalli.
3.	Do	do	at Antharasante.
4.	First	do	at Robertsonpet.
5.	Second	do	at Kumsi.
6.	Do	do	at Agumbi.

2. One of the men drawing lowest pay other than scavengers in each Travellers' Bungalow may be retained as a watchman. The savings effected thereby may be reported for the information of Government. The present members of the staff may, if possible, be absorbed in any vacancies of other Travellers' Bungalows where temporary men may be acting or in other Government Departments. Superannuated men may be retired and services of temporary men dispensed with.

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Retrenchment relating to Krishnarajasagara Works.

READ—

Recommendations of the Mysore Retrenchment Committee relating to the Krishnarajasagara Irrigation Works—Revenue Account.

2. Note D. 105—K. S. S., dated 22nd September 1931, from the Chief Engineer, Krishnarajasagara Works.

ORDER No. P. W. 543-50—K. S. S. 1652-59, DATED 8TH OCTOBER 1931.

The measures of retrenchment referred to in the Report under Krishnarajasagara Irrigation Works are:—

(1) Abolition of the Circle of Superintending Engineer, Krishnarajasagara Works, resulting in a saving of Rs. 27,000 per annum.

(2) Reduction of working expenses by Rs. 17,400.

(3) Abolition of the Upper Channels and Gauging Division by amalgamating it with the Dam Construction Division, leading to a saving of Rs. 19,000 per annum.

2. Government have accepted these proposals. Orders have already been issued in Government Order No. 428-30—K. S. S. 1149-51, dated 5th September 1931, abolishing the Krishnarajasagara Superintending Engineer's Circle with effect from 1st November 1931. This measure has resulted in a saving of about Rs. 27,000 per annum of which one-fifth, *viz.*, Rs. 5,400 will accrue to the Revenue Account and the balance to the Capital Account of the Works.

Effect has also been given to the proposed reduction under Working Expenses of the Krishnarajasagara Works and the grant therefor in the current year's budget has been reduced by Rs. 17,400.

3. Government now direct that the Upper Channels and Gauging Division be abolished from 1st November 1931. The two Sub-Divisions for Gauging and Upper Channels with a small additional office establishment that may be required for work in the Divisional Office will be amalgamated with the Dam Construction Division.

This amalgamation will result in a saving of about Rs. 19,000 per annum, one half of which will be allocated to Revenue and the other half to Capital.

4. In consultation with the Chief Engineer, Krishnarajasagara Works, Government are pleased to accord sanction to the following further measures of retrenchment:—

(1) Grants provided in the current year's budget for extensions of certain existing Channels will be reduced by Rs. 30,500.

(2) The post of the Executive Engineer, No. 3, Irwin Canal Division and his office with one Sub-Division will be abolished not later than the end of December 1931, the other Sub-Division being amalgamated with No. 4, Tunnel Division retained for Tunnel Works and the excavation of the first portion of the Cauvery Branch Works.

(3) The separate Sub-Division for the execution of the Chikkadevarayasagara Channel will also be abolished as early as practicable and before 31st March 1932.

(4) Pending further orders, the investigations of the Kabbini and Suvarnavathi schemes will be held in abeyance.

(5) Capital outlay during the current year on Dam Works including Compensation will be limited to what is absolutely necessary to keep up progress.

5. The savings and surrenders resulting from the several measures of retrenchment above referred to are as under:—

Particulars	Revenue account	Capital account	Remarks
	Rs.	Rs.	
1. Abolition of the Circle of Superintendence from 1st November 1931.	3,400	13,600	Already given effect to in the current year's Budget.
2. Reduction in Works Outlay	17,400	...	
Total ..	20,800	13,600	
3. Surrenders in the grants for Extensions of existing channels provided under 23 Irrigation Works.—			
(1) Proposed extensions of Devaroy, Virijanadi, Rampur and Belakavadi tank channels.	5,500	..	
(2) Extending and improving Chikkadevarayasagara channel.	23,000	..	
(3) Extending and improving Rajaparameswari Channel.	2,000	..	
Total 3 ..	30,500	..	
4. Abolition of the post of the Executive Engineer, Upper Channels and Gauging Division and his office from 1st November (except one Clerk, one Accounts Clerk and one Draftsman).	5,500	5,500	
5. Dam Construction Division.—			
Reduction of grant under Maintenance of Dam Works	7,500	..	
Reduction under grant for special repairs for channels	2,000	..	
Total surrender ..	9,500	..	
6. Surrenders under Capital Grants:—			
(1) Surveys of Kabbini and other reservoirs ..	..	15,000	
(2) Dam Works—			
(a) Under Miscellaneous	..	2,000	
(b) Automatic Gates	..	8,000	
(c) Compensation	..	60,000	
(d) Yedatore New Town	..	9,000	
(3) Irwin Canal—			
Gamanahalli Division for the Cauvery Branch..	..	1,06,000	
Total 4 ..	..	2,00,000	
Grand Total ..	66,300	2,19,100	

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